

HAPPENINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

WE NEED MORALE, ASSERTS BISHOP

Methodist Leader is Heard by Congregations at St. Paul's and First Methodist.

"The world is facing the darkest hour since Gethsemane and Calvary, and there is great need for courage and great faith, the things that are the foundation for the morale of a nation," said Bishop W. F. Oldham, who spoke at the union service of the Methodist churches of the city at the First Methodist church Sunday night. He spoke at the morning services at St. Paul's M. E. church.

Bishop Oldham is the head of the Methodist church in South America and is known all over the world for his work among the people of that country for the reconstruction work that he has done down there.

He spoke at length on the admirable defense of the allied armies at Kemmel hill a few weeks ago, citing particularly Haig's call to his men, "We are fighting with our backs to the wall now." "When a British Tommy gets his back to the wall in a fight, he fights 'till he wins," said Bishop Oldham.

"What will win the war? On every side we hear those words: 'What will save the day? Men will win the war, you say. Food will win the war. Money, too, and ships you think. We have men and food and money and ships to send them over. But still we feel, and the men over there feel, that there is something lacking. Where or when in the history of the world has there ever been such a shipbuilding program as has been launched since the entrance of the United States into the war? But still, this does not count for all."

Community Needs Morale.

"What we need is morale. The community needs it. The army needs it. But we need it more, for unless we have it the army cannot have it. Morale is 60 per cent of the fighting value of a man. What is morale? It is the good courage that makes a man hold on long after his fighting is over. It is tenacity, dogged determination to win out against all odds. And there must be individuality and the kind of courage which never fails, which never knows when to quit. And underneath it all there must be good cheer.

"The United States is called of God to supply the morale for the world from now on. From us must come the good courage, the dogged determination and the high devotion that has been the split sword unflinching and unendingly.

"All morale centers about a belief in God, because all courage comes from faith in Him, and morale means courage," said Bishop Oldham.

"Not so long ago," he continued, "I asked a British soldier just from the trenches how it went with religion with the men in the trenches. He told me that, although the manner differed in which the men from the trenches expressed themselves where God was concerned, that the great world war had brought about a standard of faith and of religious understanding that years of ordinary religious training could never have attained.

"We people of the states have to learn to obey," said Bishop Oldham. "We have yet to learn that back of everything there is God. He is back of all things, in front of all things and on all sides.

"America is called by God to uphold the morale of the world. All the pagan countries have come to the side of the allies in this fight. All but butcherous Turkey are on the right side, and Turkey, of course, is right where she belongs, with the despotic Hun. Where is Japan, but at the side of Britain that has always given her the glad hand, and by the side of the states from whom have come missionaries and who, in turn, have opened up the world to them.

"All of the South American countries are powerfully moved by the contact of the United States in the fight. Many people criticize South America for not entering the war, but surely there is a very benevolent neutrality. The world is depending almost as much on Argentina for food as it is on the states, especially for wheat.

"So let us be up and at our jobs in the dark days that are coming with the memory of the men and women over there who have sacrificed all in these first three years of the war and are willing to sacrifice to the end that peace and only the right peace that comes through a just victory may be restored to the world.

"Let us drive out and down everything that tends to disloyalty. Tolerate none of it, but first of all, let us build up our own courage so that we cannot be conquered; let us work for the strength that will give us the power to fight long after the time for fighting is over; the good courage that only faith in God can bring."

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Kingsley Becker, Local Soldier, Is Wounded by Huns

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Becker, 135 S. Chapin st., received a telegram from Washington, D. C., Sunday morning that their son, Kingsley Becker, had been wounded in service in France.

Private Becker enlisted in South Bend April 12, 1917, for service in the coast artillery, but was later transferred to the field artillery. He was first stationed at Fort Constitution, N. Y.; later to Watertown, N. Y., and was stationed at Camp Merritt, N. J., until a short time before his departure. He arrived in France a short time before Christmas and soon went into service. He is 18 years old and was employed at the Wilson Bros. Shirt factory prior to his enlistment.

WANTED--WORST BOY IN AMERICA

Jack Robbins Wants to Take Youth to Chicago and Reform Him.

Jack Robbins of Chicago, founder of the Boys' Brotherhood republic, arrived in South Bend Sunday afternoon from Chicago on his first lap of a tour which is to take him through the principal cities of the United States for the purpose of locating America's worst boy. Robbins, along with two boys, members of the republic, began their investigation of the youngsters of this city Monday morning. In order to uncover the boy who is 100 per cent bad.

Mr. Robbins is in charge of the republic and is endeavoring to prove that his system of reforming boys is a much better method than that which is being used in the reformatories; hence his reason for making a tour of the country to secure the worst boy. Robbins says that when he finds the worst boy he will take him to his Boys' republic in Chicago where there are more than 200 members, and guarantee that he will be reformed after receiving six months' training at the republic.

Meetings in 10 States.

Public meetings will be held in 10 states where Robbins will tell how the bad boys may be reformed. In their stay here they will visit the jails and factories in order to find the worst boy.

"Juvenile delinquency has increased 35 per cent since the war started, according to the records of the Chicago courts. I don't know what the reason is, but it is true in all countries at war. This must be stopped. We must conserve these boys to help win the war for the good of our country after the war is over. These boys will take the place left vacant by the Americans who fall in battle," declared Mr. Robbins.

COUNTY PIONEER DIES SUDDENLY

George Klein, 63, Resident of Clay Township for Past 50 Years, Stricken.

George Klein, 63 years old, for the past 50 years a prominent farmer of Clay twp., dropped dead Sunday afternoon at his home. Mr. Klein was carrying his horse when he suffered an attack of heart failure which resulted in his death.

Mr. Klein was born in Germany Jan. 24, 1855, and came to this country 50 years ago. He immediately came to the west and settled in this country, where he has lived ever since.

He is survived by one son, August, who lives at home; two brothers, John J. of Seattle, Wash., and Nicholas of Iowa, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Gunderman of this city.

The funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Sacred Heart church, Notre Dame, Rev. John Scherer, C. S. C., will officiate. Burial will be in Cedar Grove cemetery.

SINAI SOCIETY MEETS

The Sinai society held its regular meeting Sunday in the Rotary room of the Oliver hotel with Sam Cohen as presiding officer.

Miss Julia Rode sang a number of songs accompanied by Miss Dora Hershon on the piano. T. D. Mott delivered the principal address.

BISHOP WHITE CONFIRMS AT KOKOMO AND PERU

Bishop John Hazen White, rector of St. James' church and Episcopal bishop of the diocese of Michigan City, spent Sunday in Kokomo and Peru, where he confirmed two classes.

EAGLES STAGE BIG CELEBRATION

Service Flag is Dedicated at F. O. E. Home—Farabaugh Delivers Address.

Impressive services marked the patriotic celebration held by South Bend lodge No. 435, F. O. E., at their home, 317 N. Michigan st., Sunday afternoon and evening. There were approximately 1,200 people in attendance, the affair being open to the public.

The program of the day started when Fischer's orchestra of Kalamazoo, Mich., played the national anthem, the audience joining in the chorus. A patriotic address was given after which the service flag containing 60 stars, was publicly dedicated.

From 7 to 9 p. m. there was a musical program in which several solos were rendered by members of the lodge, assisted by the orchestra. A dance closed the day's festivities, the hall being crowded with 125 couples. It was tastefully decorated.

Farabaugh Delivers Address.

Worthy Pres't G. A. Farabaugh made the address of the day, speaking of the patriotic manner in which the Eagles all over the country were serving the interests of Uncle Sam.

"Members of the Eagles should not feel sad because some of our boys are 'over there' fighting for the great cause of liberty," said the worthy president, "because it is in keeping with the primary principles of our organization that we render any service within our power. Here in South Bend lodge one out of every 16 members has joined the colors, which is a very commendable record when one considers the number of men over the draft age. The United States of America has never waged an unjust war, or a war of aggression, and this fact holds true in the present strife which has called the best blood in America to the front. Let it be understood by all that this war is one of defense.

"Patriotism is instilled into all members of our order, and it is to those 60 young men who are absent upon the field of honor that we dedicate these services, which are only a small part of the national celebration taking place today wherever there is an eagle of Eagles. Our chief concern now is to support the boys in the trenches and to do that we must sacrifice. The highest sacrifice is to give one's life for one's country, and we must back up those men who are offering that sacrifice with our dollars.

"Fathers and mothers should not consider those young lives as wasted which are sacrificed upon the altar of liberty, but on the contrary should be glad that a son of theirs had made the supreme sacrifice, thus aiding by his very life to make the world safe for democracy."

Judge Farabaugh also told of the patriotic insurance fund which was created for the benefit of those members who had dependents, and who died in the service. Every Eagle pays 10 cents a month to promote this fund and up to the present time 37 claims have been made, and \$37,000 has been paid to those making the claims. There are over 400,000 Eagles in the United States.

600 BELGIANS HOLD PATRIOTIC MEETING

More than 600 Belgians of South Bend and Mishawaka attended an impressive patriotic program held at the Belgian school auditorium on W. Thomas st. Sunday afternoon. W. A. McInerney, Achille Colpaert and G. A. Farabaugh gave the principal addresses, while Dr. J. P. Berteling was chairman. Peter Schraubrouck was in charge of the musical end of the program.

Mr. McInerney in his address reviewed the history of the Belgian people from the time of Caesar up until the present day. Mr. Colpaert gave his talk in the Belgian language. Mr. Farabaugh told of the great events that the Belgians have taken part in for the past few centuries.

The closing remarks were made by Charles V. Fischer, C. S. C., pastor of the Sacred Heart church. Fr. Fischer expressed his appreciation for the way the people had demonstrated their patriotic enthusiasm. He also said that 90 per cent of the Belgian people had purchased Liberty loan bonds.

SAYS BIBLE PREDICTS FALL OF WILHELM

Rev. Fred W. Johnson in the first of a series of lectures which are to be given in Melville hall on S. Lafayette st. declared that the Kaiser and Germany would be overthrown according to the prophecy made to the king of Babylon and recorded in the second chapter of the book of Daniel.

"There never will be another world empire," said Rev. Johnson, "because when any earthly monarch attempts to bring such a condition about he goes against the prophecy, and will surely be defeated. This is not foolish sentiment, but plain common sense, based upon the prophecy." A large audience was present at the lecture.

REPAIRS ON HUNGARIAN HALL ARE FINISHED AT COST OF ABOUT \$17,000

Extensive repairs on the Magyar Athletic club's quarters and the Hungarian hall on Chapin st., which were badly damaged by fire a few months ago have about been completed and were rededicated with appropriate exercises last night at the club rooms. The club's quarters have been finished except for the installation of new furnishings. An informal opening of the club rooms was held Saturday night, about 50 members of the organization and a large number of democratic candidates being present.

The total cost of the repairs to the building, including the auditorium, amounted to \$17,000. A new floor, stage and seats have been placed in the auditorium. The asbestos curtain on the stage of the auditorium cost \$500. Vaudeville and motion pictures will be started by the management during the summer. It is said that some important championship boxing bouts will also be put on there in the near future.

PENITENTS WILL COME TO REWARD

Capt. Nehemiah Brookes Gives Sermon at Salvation Army Hall on Sunday.

"With all the past glow of Christian history there is not any reason for man to doubt or mistrust the efficacy of Christ's prevailing power. The repentant believing sinner will not miss the eternal Christian joys of heaven," so spoke Capt. Nehemiah Brookes last night at the Salvation Army services.

His text, "Can any good come out of Nazareth?" was taken from the gospel of St. John, first to 4th verse.

"A variety of valuable minerals have been unearthed from the wild, uncultivated lands that are made serviceable for the good of humanity. Many villagers from log cabin and hut-like homes, with limited educational facilities for self-improvement, but making the best of means available and with their best endeavors, have come before the public and moved the inhabitants of the nation by their works of goodness."

The outcome of the life, death and resurrection power of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, and the continuation of gospel influence after nearly 2,000 years, is evidence of the good arising from Nazareth, for the work of Jesus the Nazarene is as fruitful as the rays of the sun in its life sustaining power.

"No trouble or sorrow has overtaken Christians without finding in and through Jesus the greatest source of comfort and strength which gladdens the heart and reflects in the countenance like objects in a mirror, as the joy abundantly surpasses the gloom."

The Sunday night services were well attended, considering the warm weather, and Capt. Brookes' sermon was cordially received.

CANDIDATE FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE OUT OF RACE

Frank J. McCormick, who filed his declaration to be a democratic candidate at the primaries Tuesday for justice of the peace of Portage twp., has withdrawn from the ticket and has left the city, it was announced yesterday. His reason for the action was not made known.

McCormick had been in the city but a short time and during his residence here was employed as a stenographer in two or three different law offices. His name, however, will appear on the ticket, it being the first of the list of four democratic candidates for the aforesaid office.

MEXICANS AT NOTRE DAME CELEBRATE DAY

Commemorating the victory attained by the Mexican forces over the French on May 5, 1862, known as the "battle of Puebla," the Mexican students at Notre Dame university held a short program in Walsh hall recreation room Sunday evening.

The following program as given: National Mexican hymn; commemorative lecture by Victor Llanco; piano and saxophone solos by Prof. Tarnava and R. Dohn; solo by Prof. Jose Corona; lecture by Alphonso Anaya; piano and violin selections, Edward Gottry and Dominic Slupski; piano solo by E. Gottry, and a humorous recitation by A. Anaya. After the program a luncheon was served.

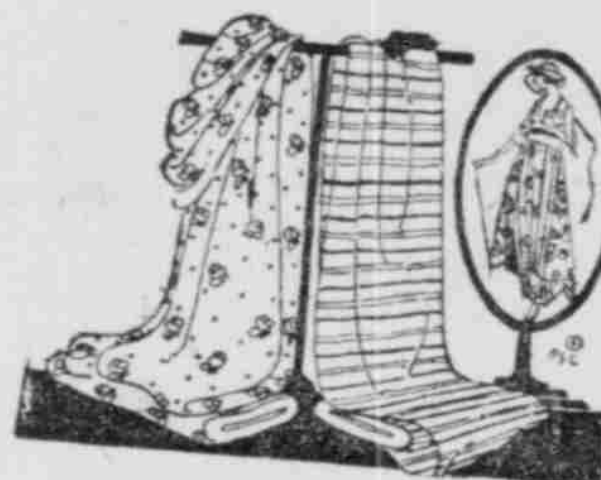
VESPER SERVICES AT Y. W. Mrs. David Augustine was the leader of the vesper services held at the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon, which consisted of a piano solo by Miss Marjorie White, two vocal solos by Mrs. E. L. Essex, and a reading by Mrs. Clem Garwood. The services were followed by a social hour after which tea was served.

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FRIEND INDEED, HEARD AT CHURCH

F. Emory Lyon, Who Gives Aid to Prisoners, Speaks Here Twice on Sunday.

F. Emory Lyon, Esq., D. founder and superintendent of the Central Howard association, of Chicago, spoke on the subject of prison reform at the First Presbyterian church Sunday forenoon and at the St. Paul M. E. church Sunday evening. The motto of the Howard association, as outlined by Mr. Lyon, is, "A friend in need is a friend indeed." The objects of the society are to aid prisoners before and after release; to advocate improved laws for the prevention of crime, and to secure better prisons, reformatories and jails. The field of work includes the states of Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

The Central Howard association during its 17 years' history has aided 15,523 men. Of that number 490 gave drink or evil associates as the chief cause of their downfall.

Wants Fair Play.

"Fair play for prisoners," said Mr. Lyon, "means neither sentimentalism on the one hand, nor severity on the other hand. It would avoid the spoiling of prisoners by too much kindness and also the breaking of the spirits in the ineffective effort to punish."

"Fair play for the prisoner means justice, though not the cold, severe justice of faulty human judgment, but rather the merciful justice of divine love. Society's efforts for the prisoner should, in short, meet the test of the golden rule."

Miss Mary A. McCoy, a member of the Central Howard association, will remain in South Bend several days following up the work outlined by Mr. Lyon in his two sermons Sunday.

FALCONS NO. 1 DONATE \$100 TO POLISH ARMY

Members of the Polish Falcons, Z. B. No. 1, donated \$100 Sunday afternoon toward the million dollar fund which is being raised by the Poles of the United States. The money raised will be used for the equipment of the Polish army and also for the maintenance of the Red Cross. The campaign will be conducted during this month.

PROMOTED TO CORPORAL. John Lapezynski, 514 S. Jackson st., who enlisted in the aviation section of the signal corps some time ago, has been promoted to corporal, according to word received in this city.



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